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For: RAPID FLUORESCENT LABELING OF  
TISSUE FOR MICRODISSECTION USING  
FLUORESCENT SPECIFIC BINDING  
AGENTS

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Total Claims	35	- 37*	= 0	\$18.00	
Indep. Claims	5	5**	= 0	\$84.00	
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$280.00	
One-month Extension of Time				\$110.00	\$110.00
Two-month Extension of Time				\$410.00	
Three-month Extension of Time				\$930.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$110.00

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